

## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:		) Evaminari Vina	ent E. Daggio	
KEICHIRO ONO, et al.		)	Examiner: Vincent F. Boccio  Group Art Unit: 2615	
Application No.: 09/516,115		)		
Filed:	March 1, 2000	)		
For:	INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS, METHOD THEREFOR AND MEMORY MEDIUM STORING INFORMATION PROCESSING PROGRAM	) : ) : )	July 26, 2004	RECEIVED AUG 0 4 2004 Technology Center 2600

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## PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated March 26, 2004 for one month from June 26, 2004 to July 26, 2004.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

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Date of Signature

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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